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MSU 4.1-588

Application No. 10/659,577	Filing Date September 10, 2003	Examiner Shruti S. Costales	Customer No. 21036	Group Art Unit 1714	Confirmation No. 4666
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Invention: EXPANDED GRAPHITE AND PRODUCTS PRODUCED THEREFROM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 24, 2005, the Applicants amend and remark as follows:

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Amendments to the Title begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE

Please replace the title on page 1, line 1 with the following new title.

--A Composite Material of Graphite Platelets and a Polymer and Methods for Preparing a Shaped Composite Thereof--